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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Donald J. KYLE et al.

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Examiner: Kahsay Habte, Ph.D.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 17, 2005 be extended for a period of one (1) month from January 17, 2006 to and including February 17, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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